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Culture is similar to that of Gloxinias and African Violets. Plant 5 or 6 tubers in 6 in. pot or 2 in. apart in window box or hanging basket. Sandy loam, fertile and rich in humus (wicks dirt, moss) and well drained gives good results. They require warmth and abundant moisture during growing season. When plants become dormant in fall, withhold moisture and store tubers in 40° temperature in fairly dry sand. In Spring replant in fresh soil.

Whites

TUBIFLORA, large plant, creamy white fragrant blossoms.

MARGARET, pure white, 2 in. flowers sparkling white, emerald green foliage. 20¢, \$1.50 doz. JUAREGNA MAXIMA, Snowy white with lavender markings, graceful for hanging baskets. Rare and very fine. 20¢, \$1.50 doz.

DAINTY QUEEN, white with purple eye, feathered red at center. 20¢, \$1.50 doz.

PINK

ADELE DE LA HANTE, Delicate shell pink shading to deep rose center. Vigorous and free flowering. Very popular. 20¢, \$1.50 doz.

CARMINE QUEEN, Late flowering with bronze foliage, gay carmine flrs. 35¢, \$2.50 doz.

CHARM, Upright compact plant with bright green foliage and rose-pink flrs, very charming. 35¢, \$2.50 doz. LITTLE BEAUTY, dark foliage compact, upright growth, flowers late with profusion of clear cerese pink flowers. A favorite of all. 30¢, \$2.50 doz.

LAVENDER & PURPLE

LAVENDER QUEEN, Gloxinia-like, dark lavender flowers with white throat bright velvety foliage. Very showy and rare. 30¢, \$2.50 doz.

CATTLEYA, Pastel lilac with deep lavender center. Very free flowering Best of the pastels. 30¢, \$2.50 doz. TENTONIA, similar to Cattleya but with darker foliage. 30¢, \$2.50 doz. CAMILLE BROZONI, Rose-lavender flrs considered best lavender by many. 30¢, \$2.50 doz. STORMCLOUD, similar to L. Queen, flowers more violet hued. 30¢, \$2.50 doz. MADONNA, Soft violet lavender with paler throats. Beautiful dark veined leaf, upright growth. 30¢, \$2.50 doz. AMBROISE VERSCHAFFLET, lavender and purple veined on pale lilac. Very choice and free flowering. 20¢, \$1.50 doz.

PULCHRIMMA, Most prolific bloomer and hardiest of all Achimines. Large royal purple flrs, dark bronze foliage. \$1.00 doz. MAGNIFICENT, Rose carmine flrs and large purplish leaves, very showy. 20¢, \$1.50 doz. VENUSTA, Semi-double, dark purple flrs, dark foliage. The only double known. 25¢, \$1.60 doz. ATROPURPUREA, wine-purple flrs., light green upright foliage. Early blooming. 25¢, \$1.50 doz. DIADEM, similar and same price. PATENS MAJOR, Reddish-violet, white throat. Compact plant with red-veined leaves. Very fine bloomer, 20¢, \$1.50 doz. LOVELINES, Dwarf variety with small rich purple flowers, very lovely. 20¢, \$1.50 doz. HARRY WILLIAMS, Dark, cerese flowers with yellow throatspotted red. Upright to 2 ft. Large handsome leaves. New and excellent. 35¢, \$3.00 doz.

RED

MASTER INGRAM, True red, with orange center. Sturdy upright. 20¢, \$1.50 doz.

MILTON, Strawberry red, tubular flrs. Upright, light green. \$1.50 doz.

GHIESEREHTI, Large violet-red, large green leaves. Imported this year 30¢, \$2.00 doz.

PEDUNCULATA, Tall growing, late flowering, fire-red with orange throat. Very showy, resembling Naegelia. 30¢, \$2.50 doz.

PULCHELLA, Geranium-red flrs. Dwarf habit, late flowering. Most showy of all. 20¢, \$1.50 doz. CARMENCITA, Cherry-red with yellow center. Tall late blooming. Very striking plant. 25¢, \$1.60 doz. VIVID, Most vivid and glowing crimson red. A fine new variety. Our favorite. 25¢, \$1.60 doz.

LADY LITTLETON, Tall growing, rose red, with orange dotted throat. New this year and very handsome. 40¢, \$3.50 doz.

DAZZLER or MINIATA, Coppery-red flrs, yellow center early and prolific bloomer, Trailing habit. 20¢, \$1.50 doz.

BLUE

LONGIFLORA MAJOR, Cobalt blue with white throat. 3½ in. flowers and long stems make this a most popular variety. 15¢, \$1.20 doz. MASTERPIECE, Royal blue, called Midnight Blue, similar in growth to L. Major. 20¢, \$1.50 doz. ANTERGEL, Twilight blue with longiflora foliage. 20¢, \$1.50 doz. MEXICANA, Smokey-blue, similar to L. Major 20¢, \$1.50 doz. GALATEA, Hyacinth blue, white center, early and continuous bloomer. 15¢, \$1.20 doz. FRANCOIS CARDINALIS, Sparkling, ice-blue, white, open throat. 20¢, \$1.50 doz. MILK WAY, Pastel, sky-blue, dark reddish foliage, very striking. 20¢, \$1.50 doz.

GIANT PANSY or VARIEGATA, 3 in. sky blue, pale shaded purple and gold. Very beautiful and free blooming. 25¢, \$1.60 doz. BIG BOY BLUE, Giant blue with orange throat, new and fine. 40¢, \$3.50 doz.

MAUVE QUEEN, Mauve blue, splotched orange. 40¢, \$3.50 doz.

NESSIDA, Pale amethyst-violet flowers with gold center, light green leaves. A rare new plant and very lovely. 30¢, \$3.50 doz.

BRILLIANT, Brand new imported variety. Bright red with lovely bronze foliage. 25¢, \$1.60 doz.

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